

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: G.C. Neurauter
MASAMICHI ITO ET AL.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 2143
Application No.: 09/903,706	)	
	:	Conf. No.: 1058
Filed: July 13, 2001	)	
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For: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM,	)	
PRINTING SYSTEM AND DATA	:	
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS	)	May 21, 2008

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT  
AND STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

Prior to continued examination, and in response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2008, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract are reflected in the replacement paragraph at page 2; amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 4; and the Remarks begin at page 8.

A Request for Continued Examination is submitted concurrently herewith.